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Applicant(s): Teiji YAMAMOTO et al.

Invention: TRACK HAVING ROTATABLE BUSING AND LINK FOR THE SAME (As amended)

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits after filing the accompanying Request for Continued Examination under Rule 114 and in response to the final Office Action dated March 7, 2007, and the Advisory Action dated June 19, 2007, the period for response being extended to July 7, 2007, by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.